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Grade XI. Wins Debate and Takes Kiwanis Cup

The first open meeting of the Wetaskiwin High School Literary Society was held on Friday, February 27th at 8:15 in the Elks' Hall.

The program opened promptly with the singing of "O Canada," and Edwin Lyle the second vice-president, took the chair, the president taking part in the program, and the first vice-president, Miss Margaret Finch, being ill.

The school orchestra, composed of Alta Warren, Thorleif Fosvold, Gerald George, Doris Lee, Terence Spencer and Dorothy Scott, and led by Mr. Touche, gave a number and encore, which were much appreciated.

A play entitled "Cor's Callers," produced by the Grade IX. B's, created a great deal of amusement. The players, Cora, Barbara Thompson; Maud, Marion Pettigrew; George, Fred Lord; Harry, Douglas Williamson; Tom, Charles MacFarlane; and Cornelia, Hazel Hanna, did very well indeed and were well trained.

This play was followed by two very much appreciated dances by Jean George.

The main item of the program was the debate for the Kiwanis Cup between Grade XII. and Grade XI. on the subject "Resolved, that the Retail Mail Order Business has proved a benefit to the Rural Community." Grade XII. took the affirmative in the capable hands of Thos. Appelt and Evelyn Christie. Grade XI. with Bob Enman and Dagmar Nelson, supported the negative very well.

Rev. Mackay gave the decision of the judges, Mr. T. C. Cooke, Mr. C. H. Russell, and Rev. Mackay. He explained that on the whole it was his opinion that the negative had the advantage, and gave special praise for the girls.

Mr. McCullough then said a few words explaining the purpose of the meeting and the Literary Society.

The play "Sauce for the Goats," produced by Miss Irvine, was a very fine and enjoyable number. Jean Fullerton as the mother, Flora Stewart as grandmother, Rhoda Cooke, the daughter, were all very convincing in their parts. Harry Moore as the father who objected to slang, Kels McDermid his slang-loving son, and Roger Paton the visiting friend of the family, all gave first-class performances, while Margaret Smith as the maid, was charming in her small part.

Mr. Fraser, on behalf of the Kiwanians, presented the cup to the winners of the debate, and expressed the general thanks of the public to the principal and school.

The meeting closed with "God save the King" and a song.

Great praise is due to Miss Irvine for her splendid efforts in arranging the excellent program, and the thanks of the Literary Society is extended to all those who so generously gave their time or their property to make the evening such a success.

Weddings

KELLEY-NEVILLE
A quiet wedding took place at Calgary on Monday last, when Mrs. Verna Neville and Lee G. Kelley both of Wetaskiwin, were united in the bonds of holy matrimony. The ceremony was performed by Rev. McNeill. After spending a few days in the city Mr. and Mrs. Kelley motored back to Wetaskiwin, arriving home on Thursday evening last.

Exciting Elections in Municipal Districts

The elections of Councillors in the Municipal Districts of Alberta took place on Saturday last, and there were three contests in two divisions of the Municipal District of Montgomery and in three divisions of the Municipal District of Bigstone.

The results of the election in the Municipal District of Montgomery were as follows:

In Division 3, C. R. Shantz, 121; J. A. Wingham, 112.

In Division 5, Edward Johnson, 120; Harvey Williams, 43; Fred Freeman, 33.

The results in the Municipal District of Bigstone were:

In Division 2, M. H. Unland, 44; Chas. Plester, 20.

In Division 3, O. P. Nelson, 116; F. Stone, 59.

In Division 6 it is reported that G. Helmers was re-elected over Fred B. Green by a majority of 19.

Rocky Mountain House Man Trapped in Forest Fire

Cutting off sunlight and bringing early daylight to virtually the whole province, dust storms swept across Alberta late Tuesday afternoon while a forest fire in the Clearwater Forest Reserve destroyed timber and brought serious injury to "Scotty" Nelson, a farmer who was trapped in the blazing area.

Included in the path of the snowstorm that swept from the mountain tops in the wake of the 45 miles an hour wind was the isolated district of Livingstone Valley where 50 prospectors are maintaining the search for gold started almost a month ago—Alberta.

Consolidation of Alberta Co-ops Conference is Object

Edmonton, Feb. 24. — Representatives of various co-operative buying and selling organizations operating in the province were in attendance at a conference of co-operatives which was held here last week. The meeting which has as its object the consolidation of all buying and selling co-operatives into one body was called as a result of a resolution adopted at the U.F.A. convention last month.

This object of such an organization is to harmonize, more nearly than at present the cost of the goods the farmer is required to buy with the price he receives for his products. The suggested federation, when discussed at the U.F.A. convention aroused some opposition on the ground that the wrong policy was being adopted in organizing such a widespread movement from the top down. It found a strong supporter, however, in William Irvine, M.P., Wetaskiwin who held that such a move would conserve much economic energy.

Wetaskiwin Girls' Club Holds Enjoyable Party

The Wetaskiwin Business Girls' Club held a very enjoyable bridge party in the Dillard Hotel club room on Thursday, February 26th, when Miss Ruby Bye and Miss Jean Angus.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 11th, at 8 o'clock, when Mrs. W. G. Deltz will give a lecture on "Care of the Sick Room." Prospective members welcome.

Women's Institute News

Agriculture was the subject dealt with at the last meeting of the Wetaskiwin Women's Institute, the program being in charge of the convener, Mrs. Heller. Mrs. H. Grant, Malm, gave the address, going into detail on the matter of the 100 per cent Pool.

Mrs. A. R. Dickson gave an amusing reading from Dr. Drummond's "The Women of the Canadian Habit" and David Appelt played a very fine piano selection by Brahms.

Plans were completed for the telephone bridge to be given on March 17th, after which Mrs. Hogan and Mrs. J. S. Thompson served tea, and a social hour was enjoyed.

regard to making payments immediately.

Ald. Brown submitted an offer from Mr. Jackson to purchase 7½ acres on the East side of Court House Ave. and the Council agreed to a price of \$75.00 per acre for this land.

The meeting adjourned.



MRS. C. H. SWANSON
A pioneer resident of this district, who passed away last week in her seventy-seventh year.

Obituary

MRS. WM. CARUTHERS
The citizens will learn with regret that Mrs. Caruthers, widow of the late Mr. William Caruthers, passed away in the city of Winnipeg. A telegram announcing the death was received Wednesday morning from her son, Mr. Jas. A. Caruthers, stating that the funeral will be held from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Wetaskiwin, on Saturday afternoon, March 7th, at 3 p.m.

Mrs. Caruthers was one of the earliest settlers in Wetaskiwin, and had a very large circle of friends and acquaintances. We will make further reference to the deceased in our next issue.

Louille Gobin

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. K. Gobin in the loss of their daughter, Louille, who passed away at the Wetaskiwin hospital on Friday last, following an operation for appendicitis. She was aged 16 years. The funeral was held on Monday, service being conducted in the Roman Catholic Church at 10 a.m. The remains were laid away in the R.C. cemetery.

Mrs. C. H. Swanson

Mrs. Maria Emma Swanson, beloved wife of Mr. C. H. Swanson, of Wetaskiwin, passed away from this earth to her heavenly home last Wednesday morning at 8:30. The deceased was born in Husquama, Sweden, the 22nd of March, 1854, and was united in marriage to Mr. C. H. Swanson Nov. 28th, 1880. They emigrated to the U.S.A. the following year, where they settled down at Boston, Mass., until 1893, when they left for Canada and arrived at Wetaskiwin the 15th of April. Here they took up a homestead 7 miles east of the city and built one of the finest farms in the district. They stayed until 1907, when they moved into Wetaskiwin, where they have remained ever since.

Mrs. Swanson was a true Christian woman and an active member of the church, always showing great interest in evangelical work as well as that of mercy and charity. She also had a big heart for the foreign mission work and perhaps more so since her youngest daughter, Ruth, offered herself up for this work in Africa. Mrs. Swanson made friends wherever she went and no one has anything but good to say about her.

The funeral service was held last Sunday at 2 p.m. in the Swedish Mission Church of Wetaskiwin. Rev. Wikstrom, assisted by Rev. E. B. Anderson, officiated, and interment took place in the New Sweden Cemetery. The church, very beautifully decorated with live flowers, was filled to capacity by friends, many standing outside, waiting to pay their last tribute to the deceased and to express their sympathy with the mourners. Rev. Anderson spoke in the English language words of comfort and hope, and the pastor of the church in Swedish. A duet which touched every heart was sung by the Misses M. Peterson and E. Nelson. The Malmo choir in a very appropriate way rendered two suitable selections. The Ladies' Aid gave a farewell message in song, and each member brought a flower to the casket. Some fifty cars or more followed in the procession out to the New Sweden cemetery. At the graveside, Misses Dagmar and Evelyn Nelson sang very effectively "There is no disappointment in heaven." The pallbearers were Messrs. S. A. Anderson, G. Bradenborg, E. Larson, A. Pearson, J. Nelson and O. Moosson.

Beautiful floral tributes were received from the family, Claus Eckvall and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Larson, the Mission Friends of Wetaskiwin, the New Sweden Congregation, the Mission Friends Ladies' Aid of Wetaskiwin, the Ladies' Aid of New Sweden, the Ladies' Aid of Malm, A. W. Lilledahl and family, Mrs. Blasen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kier, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wallin, Mr. and Mrs. Gust. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bye, Mr. and Mrs. L.

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Town Topics

Mrs. Wells of Edmonton, is a guest at the home of Mayor and Mrs. B. D. Howatt.

The W.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Rice on Tuesday, March 10th, at 4 p.m.

The friends of Bert Moore are glad to learn that he has now recovered from his operation.

Mrs. R. K. Mackay and daughter, Alice, of Calgary, spent the weekend with the former's sister, Mrs. J. H. Walker.

Mrs. A. E. Hall was at Calgary last week, attending the Provincial Lodge L.O.B.A., as the representative from Wetaskiwin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Arnsen had as their guest during the past week, the latter's brother-in-law, Mr. E. O. Davidson, of Calgary.

Mrs. W. East returned home Sunday morning, after spending several months in Toronto, owing to the illness of her mother.

H. B. Stewart, who underwent a minor operation in the Wetaskiwin hospital, left for his home at Ponoka the fore part of the week.

The boxing elimination contests which were held to take place in Edmonton on Friday of this week, have been postponed to March 16th.

Mr. Reg. Whiting, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Flowers and children, and Mrs. E. Campbell of Edmonton, spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Mermer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Harrison and family of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peasey of Milledgeville, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walker.

The many friends of Margaret Finch are glad to learn that she is now progressing favorably after her recent operation, and has been removed to her home.

Among the students at the University Hospital, Edmonton, are F. H. Blackwell, J. P. Inglis, Nick Page and H. Newby, who are receiving treatment for different ailments.

Mrs. Wm. Wells of Edmonton, is a visitor to Wetaskiwin, and is spending a short holiday with Mrs. J. E. Fraser renewing acquaintanceship with her many friends in town.

Mrs. Arthur Anderson and son Graham of Calgary, who have been visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Stevenson during the past week, returned home on Monday afternoon.

P. A. Miquelon, who has just completed the organization of an Elks Lodge at Sylvan Lake, with a membership of fifty-two, is spending a few days in town before proceeding to another point in the Province, where he hopes to institute a Lodge in the near future.

The I.O.D.E. held their regular meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. N. A. MacEachern. Reports were received from different committees, relative to the card party to be held on Monday, March 8th. Mrs. MacFarlane was joint hostess.

The Board of Trade membership drive is continuing under the chairmanship of Thos. Torson, and it is hoped that the Board will have even a larger membership than last year. All residents of the city and district should join and thereby assist in the laudable work the Board of Trade is doing.

The fine weather we have been enjoying for several months, took a sudden change Tuesday afternoon, when a wind of cyclonic proportions blew up from the west and the dust storm accompanying was one of the worst ever seen in Wetaskiwin. This was followed immediately by a blizzard, which is continuing at the time of going to press.

BOARD OF TRADE "AT HOME" WILL BE AN ANNUAL EVENT

Over one hundred and fifty attended the "At Home" given in the Dillard Hotel on Wednesday evening last, under the auspices of the Wetaskiwin Board of Trade, and a most enjoyable time was spent. The fore part of the evening was taken up with bridge and "500." The winners at bridge were, Messrs. Geo. Wiseman and Frank Turner, ladies, Mrs. Geo. Wiseman and Mrs. H. B. French. The winners of the prizes in the "500" play were Misses Johnson and Hladik and Messrs. Chas. Condie and W. H. Wallis of Brightview.

After supper, dancing was indulged in by many of the guests as well as modern dances being on the program. The music was furnished by the Sunny Six Orchestra. The occasion was such a happy affair that it has been decided to make the Wetaskiwin Board of Trade "At Home" an annual event.

Mental Hygiene Subject of Address at Kiwanis

Dr. C. A. Baragar, Commissioner of Mental Institutions of the Province of Alberta, gave a very interesting and educational address to the Kiwanis Club Tuesday night. He took as his subject "Some Aspects of Mental Hygiene." His address in part is as follows:

We understand so little of what mental disease is. It has its counterpart in ordinary life, we sometimes get up in the morning, feeling poorly, or have a grouchy, and if you prolong that grouchy you have a mental disorder.

A boy may be slighted. He feels badly. He may not be able to make the adjustment to facts. If we cannot adjust we may have a mental disorder. We use the word insane today which means a person of unbalanced mind, we might say mentally sick. Our sympathies go out to people who have bodily sickness, such as cancer, consumption, etc., and we try to help them. If we could give the same sympathetic consideration to the person who is mentally sick (insane) we can often do a great deal to cure this sickness. There are as many variations in mental sickness as in bodily sickness. 5 to 10 per cent of mental sickness is structural or organic disease of the brain, e.g., brain tumors, etc.

Then there is the old age mental deterioration, 7 to 8 per cent of mental sickness is due to old age, 50 to 60 per cent of mental sickness is due to personality changes or disorders. They may last for a short time. Thirteen to fourteen per cent may be helped so that breakdowns would not occur. A person who has had a mental breakdown should go back into life without too much responsibility. Not many of these get better.

Many young people suffer a mental breakdown due to strain or too much responsibility. School children could be studied and those endangered may be helped so that breakdowns would not occur. A person who has had a mental breakdown should go back into life without too much responsibility.

Many cases were instances where people recovered from mental sickness had returned to their regular life, the occupational and recreational life, and later, full responsibility. The great difficulty in giving early help in mental sickness is that people affected will not go into mental hospitals in the early stages.

Chronic patients can be helped by giving them something to do. There is the occupational and recreational help. We need a changed attitude of people generally towards mental sickness, and we also need the finest type of attendants for these patients.

Economic Conditions Considered by Kiwanians

D. M. Duggan, M.L.A. for Edmonton, and leader of the Conservative party in the Alberta legislature, was the principal speaker at the meeting of the Wetaskiwin Board of Trade on Monday evening last, and he gave a very interesting address on the financial situation in Canada and in Alberta.

The depression in Canada is not brought about by conditions in this country, but by a world situation. He referred to what the British nation had done in the past under the greatest difficulty and he stated that this will be accomplished again. In Australia, the situation is brought about largely by irresponsible government, and when the depression comes, the value of the land is certain what lands are available to public services, and these lands would be settled first, as they could be more economically administered than permitting settlers to locate in remote areas. No land should be sold with the settlement regulations. The result would be slower settlement, but the country will be opened up scientifically. The receipts from the sale of our lands should be put in a sinking fund, and we would soon have a fund greater than the public debt of this province. We cannot go ahead and provide public service lavishly.

The speaker also referred to the secession propaganda being circulated in Alberta today. This is particularly the outcome of our economic problem, and he suggested that we do not close our eyes to the present conditions. It is the result of hard times, and we should fight to regain the contract made at the time of Confederation. This country must have the freedom of self government.

It was reported that there was a possibility of the Hardisty local train being taken off, and after a brief discussion this question was referred to the Council of the Board of Trade for action in the event of an effort being made to remove this accommodation.

A letter was read from G. Barbour, respecting the continuation of the Swine Club in this district. Last year there were thirty-seven members and the Club was very successful, and did good work. The matter of continuing to sponsor this work was referred to the Council of the Board, with power to act.

V. E. Thompson, president, presided. Stewart Campbell sang a solo and encore, and Mrs. McDermid presided at the piano.

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Taxis Boys Observe "Father and Son Week"

The Taxis Square have observed their annual Father and Son Week by two special enterprises, namely, by a service of worship in the First United Church on Sunday morning, March 1, and by a banquet in the church on Tuesday evening, March 3.

At the Sunday service the Groups attended worship with their fathers. The Mentor, Mr. Pethybridge, conducted worship, Fred Lord read the Scripture lesson, Alastair Elliott gave an address on "What a Boy Expects of his Mother," Gordon East, of the Father and Son League, prepared the way for the boys, and Alex Vars on "The Fourfold life as seen in Jesus." Mr. Pethybridge gave a brief closing thought on "He shall turn the hearts of the fathers to the children," Malachi 4.6. All the addresses were carefully prepared and were well received by almost a full congregation.

Mr. Touche sang as a special solo "A certain man had two sons," and there was a lovely anthem by the Junior Choir.

The banquet on Tuesday evening was a very happy event, with 100 per cent attendance of boys and about all of the fathers, with a few visitors. The guest of honor and

chief speaker for the evening was Mr. T. Fletcher, of the High School staff. His subject was "Hobbies," in a most interesting manner and by reference to his own experience he named and described several hobbies that boys with their fathers might find a real interest and discover a mutual comradeship. Mr. Fletcher revealed himself a close student of nature, and no doubt opened up the minds of the boys to many possibilities for the use of their leisure moments.

The Frasier, Alex Vars, proved a very gracious toast master. Mr. N. A. MacEachern led a happy sing-song. Mr. Pethybridge directed some group games which aroused keen interest, and Miss Redden presided at the piano.

The toast list immediately following the banquet was as follows:

"The King," Alexander Lasell; "To our Dads," Willie Sharlow, responded to by Dr. McColgan; "To our Mothers," Harold East, responded to by Mrs. Vars.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the ladies who served, Mrs. Vars, Mrs. Sharlow, Mrs. Lord and Mrs. Elliott.

The program closed with the Omaha tribal prayer and the National Anthem.

Council Disposes of Long Agenda Tuesday Evg.

A regular meeting of the City Council was held on Tuesday evening with all members in attendance. After the minutes were adopted, Miss Heath interviewed Council regarding the business tax on her Beauty Parlor. An adjustment was made on the actual rent paid for the number of months she had been in business.

The matter of licensing Beauty Parlor operators was considered and this will be taken up at a later meeting.

A. W. Anderson interviewed Council regarding caveats on tax arrears. The claim of C. C. Smith for an Insurance Policy, on the Fair Grounds not accepted was left to the Chairman of Finance.

The offer of B. J. Bldinger to purchase lots 4 and 5, block 77, Plan M8 for \$15 each was accepted.

A letter was read from Commissioner W. C. Bryan, A.P.P., stating that the cells installed at Wetaskiwin could be purchased by the City for \$390.00.

Premier Brownlee will be written to asking if his Government are considering taking over the polluting of the cities and towns and what terms or arrangements it is their intention to make.

The Clerk was instructed to write Commissioner Bryan stating that the matter of purchasing the cells was left in abeyance for the present.

The acceptance of C. C. Watson of the post of Trustee for the City's Special Trust Funds was received and filed.

The offer of Gus Radoncz to rent block 5 for \$5.00 for the season was accepted.

Gottlieb Steip was leased lots for pasture for the season for \$4.00.

Accounts were passed for payment amounting to \$396.46, as was also the Firemen's pay for the month of February amounting to \$32.00.

The Public Utilities Board, Edmonton will be written to and asked if there is a possibility of the charges for the light and power being lowered owing to the earnings of the Calgary Power Company exceeding the amount mentioned in their charter.

The City Clerk was instructed to call a meeting of the Board of Health as soon as possible to consider the licensing of milk vendors in the City.

The Clerk was instructed to write J. A. MacKenzie, Supervisor of Relief for unemployment, asking him for the Government's approval of half a mile of the main highway, being gravelled, from the Provincial machinery shed northwards and to ask if this work could be done under the relief unemployment scheme.

The Public Works Committee be authorized to build a road rounding the corner of Pearce Street West and the water tower road under the relief scheme.

An advertisement was authorized in The Times calling for applications for the position of a working foreman to take charge of road work and other duties under the Public Works Department, particulars to be obtained from the City Clerk's office.

The report of the Chief Constable for the Police Department for the month of February was received and filed.

The report of the Fire Chief for the month of February was received and filed.

Ald. Torson as Chairman of the Police, License and Markets Committee, was asked to obtain the cost of moving the water trough from Lansdowne Street and installing the same in the team parking square.

Alderman Ellis presented a list of arrears of rents and payments of properties for which the City had the Police Department for the month of February amounting to \$32.00.

The meeting adjourned.



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SPECIAL SANCTUARIES
WILL PROTECT BIRDS
UNDER NEW GAME ACT

Birds will be given a "square deal" under the terms of an entirely new provincial game act which Hon. Geo. Hoadley, minister of agriculture, has announced the government's intention of introducing at the 1932 session of the legislature.

Provision will be made, the minister explained, for the setting aside of certain bodies of water for birds in their seasonal flights north and south. In addition it is proposed to provide sanctuaries in willow sections of land, with the willows "marked down to afford protection for the birds."

Before the new measure is brought down, Mr. Hoadley announced, opportunity will be given all persons and organizations interested to submit ideas and suggestions.

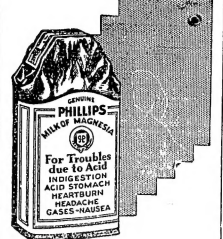
The revision of the present act has been under consideration for some time, he added, and on Tuesday a conference on the subject was held with representatives of the Alberta Game and Fish Protective Association.

THE EARL AND COUNTESS
OF BESSBOROUGH

A Governor-General with a French wife is a happy combination in the relation of both to the people of Canada as a whole. The dual nationalities, personified in husband and wife bound together in the bond of wedlock, are typical of the union of dual nationalities which we have in Canada, the French-speaking people of the province of Quebec, and the English-speaking people of the rest of the province. So the vice-regal residence in Ottawa will represent in miniature Canada at large, with her ladyship representing the French-speaking side of the Dominion and his lordship the English-speaking side.

It is quite a conjecture whether this feature, in its relation to Lord and Lady Bessborough, is purely haphazard in fitting with the role they are to occupy in Canada or whether it entered into the question when his appointment was made, taken in conjunction with the many qualities of the new Governor-General which fit him for the position for which he has been selected. At any rate, it makes the appointment a particularly happy one.

The social side of Ottawa, in which Lady Bessborough will take a great part, will have something of a novel attraction, at least to the people of Quebec, in her ladyship being French. Socially, it will tend to make the French-speaking part of those who are accustomed to assemble at Rideau Hall more at home in the presence of one who speaks a common language. To Quebec itself Rideau Hall will have a meaning in its occupancy which it formerly did not carry. It will represent the "Entente Cordiale," an English-speaking Governor-General wedded to a French wife. The daughter of the Baron de Neuville, as her ladyship is, will be given a double welcome by the French-speaking people.

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ple of Quebec, and the Entente Cordiale at Rideau Hall cannot fail to find its appreciation among the English-speaking Canadians. — Lethbridge Herald.

DAIRY POOL BONDS
HELD AS SECURITY

Debentures totaling \$144,560 are held by the government as security for its guarantees to five different dairy pools. Hon. R. G. Reid, provincial treasurer, stated in the legislature Tuesday in reply to questions by A. P. Mitchell (Lib., Leduc). The amounts are apportioned as follows:

Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Limited, \$183,390; Southern Alberta Dairy Pool Limited, \$72,400; Calgary and District Milk Producers' Association Limited, \$112,540; Central Alberta Dairy Pool Limited, \$38,572; Wetaskiwin Dairy Pool Limited, \$7,550.

Debentures cover land and reserves specifically, according to Mr. Reid and the entire assets of each association generally.—Journal.

RESEARCH WORK ON
IODINE CONTENT OF WATER

Dr. O. J. Walker of the Department of Chemistry, University of Alberta, is at present working on a project which will give an indication of the iodine content of water in various parts of Alberta.

Samples of water are being obtained from representative points all over the province, and these will be analyzed for iodine.

In taking the samples the source of supply (river, well or spring), the depth from which the water is taken and the formation (sandstone, shale, limestone or clay) is being recorded with a view to ascertaining the iodine content of the different water horizons.

This survey is being made with a view to correlating the lack of iodine in the water of certain districts, with the prevalence of goitre in both humans and animals in those districts.

WHEN SPRING COMES

Poets tell us that spring is the season when youthful fancies "lightly turn to thoughts of love." Mothers of growing boys and girls are apt to view alarm the first indications of the love instinct in their children.

What to do when these teen-ages' problems face them square in the face is a difficult and perplexing question. The wise mother will try and solve it in an intelligent manner and gain her child's confidence. Questions of the origin of life must be met truthfully and thoughtfully.

The coming of the spring with the mating of birds, the budding of trees, the sowing of seeds is a fine opportunity for parents to have a heart-to-heart talk with their growing boys and girls on life. Getting closer to Nature and studying Nature's laws, should be the guiding star in this difficulty of wondering what to tell the children.

Reading literature on Sex Hygiene is also of real service. In the Free Health Library of the Red Cross Headquarters is an interesting booklet "Tell your children the truth." It deals delicately with the important questions of sex. A limited number of these are obtainable, free on request to Red Cross, 407 Clive Block, Edmonton.

A BUSINESS MAN'S WILL

There is an old saying that you can tell a man by the company he keeps. Sometimes you can tell, also, what type he was by the will he leaves, says the Wall Street Journal.

One guess will be enough to judge a Wall Street business man who included these provisions in his will, recently probated:

"To my son, I leave the pleasure of earning a living. For thirty-five years he has sought that the pleasure was all mine. He was mistaken.

"To my daughter, I leave \$100,000. She will need it. The only good piece of business her husband ever did was to marry her.

"To my valet, I leave the clothes that he has been stealing from me regularly for the last ten years. Also my fur coat that he wore last winter when I was in Palm Beach.

"To my chauffeur, I leave my cars. He almost ruined them, and I want him to have the satisfaction of finishing the job.

"To my partner, I leave the suggestion that he take some other clever man in with him at once if he expects to do any business." — Kamloops Sentinel.

Stuttering

(By Dr. H. E. Smith, University of Alberta)

One of the most serious handicaps which a child can have imposed upon him is that of speech disorder. The words "imposed upon" are used advisedly, because the great majority of speech difficulties are nothing more than bad habits in the use of language. These bad habits are produced usually by one or more of the following factors: imitation of a stutterer, fear or other emotional difficulties, nervous strain induced by unhappy home conditions or difficulties in school, and laxity of parents in demanding correct and careful articulation on the part of children.

Occasionally a case of stuttering may be due to a change from left-handedness to right-handedness in school work, and still more infrequently it may be due to actual physical defect in the speech mechanism. A medical examination will disclose whether or not the latter condition exists. As regards the former, if handedness is to be changed it should be done early in the child's life and without unpleasant emotional accompaniments. It is somewhat dangerous to change the handedness of a child if practice has already been allowed to establish preference.

Stuttering begins frequently at a time of lowered physical resistance following a long or severe illness, or

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again at a period of emotional stress as upon the beginning of school or upon first meeting the problem of adolescence. It occurs more commonly in children of a constitutionally nervous temperament who are easily upset by emotional conflicts and who are particularly sensitive to their own difficulties.

Difficult to Cure

In the beginning stages a cure can usually be effected by attention to the physical condition of the child, by sympathetic inquiry into the social and mental factors involved, and by a removal of some of the nervous strain under which the child is living.

Once stuttering has developed into a habit the affliction can be overcome only through consistent efforts made over a long period of time. The mode of treatment should be left in the hands of someone who is especially trained in dealing with behaviour and speech problems. The usual treatment involves carefully graded exercises for the development of a quiet and serene attitude of mind, for the reestablishment of confidence in the ability to speak, for improvement in visualization of the thoughts to be spoken, and for the retaining in good speech habits. First words are repeated, then phrases, then sentences. Scenes are visualized with eyes closed and are then described. Reading and memory work are done in concert, and only gradually is the child asked to recite orally alone.

Prevention

Very rarely do children "outgrow" speech defects. Stuttering seldom cures itself and indeed is very difficult to cure. The best remedy is prevention. Prevention is in the main possible through the observance of a few elementary principles. Teach the child good speech habits, and begin these at an early age. Do not talk "baby talk." Avoid emotional outbreaks in the home, and avoid excessive and unreasonable demands upon the child either at home or in school. Above all, retain the confidence of the child and share with him his emotional experiences.

FREEDOM OF WOMEN

(By Walt Mason)

Some exultant dames are saying they have reached their highest goals; like their husbands, they are playing in the markets, at the polls; but my aunt is still declaring that the freedom they are sharing isn't worth an apple paring, or the prunes in yonder bowl. Other women now are planning useful and renowned careers, with prophetic eyes they're scanning higher levels, nobler spheres; but my aunt is backward gazing to old days, remote, amazing, and bewails, in cultured phrasing, all the happy, golden years. "This is freedom," says New Woman, "we have gained our liberty, and a female now is human, which she didn't used to be"; but such talk my aunt is spinning, she is heartless with her yearning for the home fires that were burning ere the girls were classed as free. Then the men did all the working that was done outside our door, and

they even did the clerking in the busy dry goods stores; then the husband was the winner of the coin that brought the dinner, and the woman was a sinner who neglected household chores. Then a woman was retiring, vulgar topics caused distress; she was seldom seen aspiring to the pulpit or the press; then a woman's legs were hidden and a damsel was chidden if her ankle peeped unbidden from the volume of her dress. Says New Woman, "We should worry if some spinster aunts are sore; in this age of jazz and hurry old maid notions are a bore; once the men had all the blisters, now we peppy girls, their sisters, pull in harness with the misters, we are equals, if not more. Now my aunt seems rather lonely on the platform she demands; she's pathetic, she has only half a dozen fossil friends; yet she stands there, lionhearted, boasting golden days departed; she will do so till she's carted to the dump where effort ends.

THE EARLY SETTLER

The visitor to the village was in the village store and observed that the man behind the counter treated a young man with great respect.

"Who is that man?" asked the visitor, thinking he must be a famous personality.

"He's one of the early settlers," replied the storekeeper.

"Early settlers?" asked the visitor, "but he can't be above thirty."

"That may be," was the reply, "but he pays his bills promptly on the first of every month."

APRIL POSTGRADUATE TOUR

The Alberta Medical Association has just completed arrangements with the Canadian Medical Association, whereby Postgraduate lectures for the medical profession, will be given at about a dozen different points throughout Alberta commencing April 6th and continuing until the 15th of that month. The speakers will be outstanding professors of the University of Western Ontario, an institution that has made rapid strides during the last five years. They are: Dr. George C. Hale, professor and head of the department of

medicine; Dr. George A. Ramsay, assistant professor of orthopaedic surgery and instructor in surgical pathology.

These tours are financed by the Sun Life Assurance Company, with the idea of reaching members of the profession who have not the time to visit the eastern medical centres, and as evidence of their success it is only necessary to say that the November 1920 tour reached over 300 medical men in Alberta.

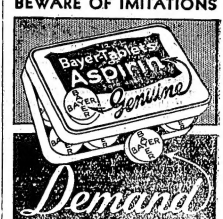
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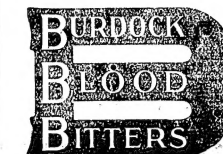
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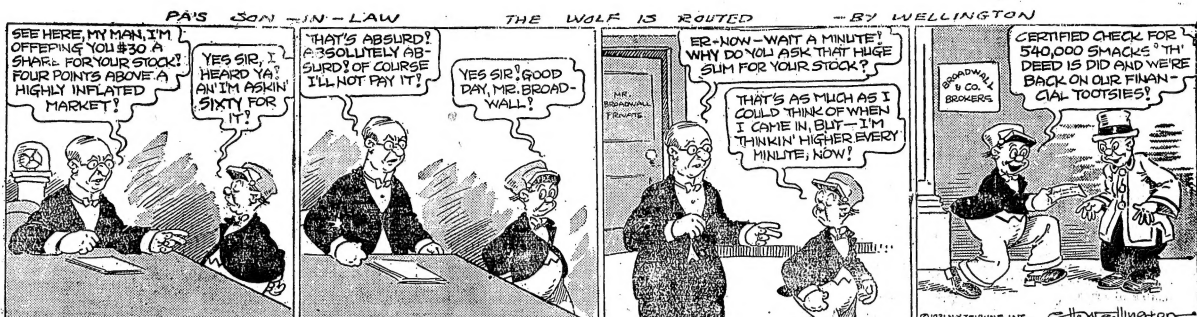
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NEURITIS

The letters "itis" at the end of a word mean inflammation, and the term, neuritis, "when properly used, means an inflammation of nerves."

There are various types of nerves. One group carries sensations, another controls the movements of muscles, and others still control sweat glands, blood vessels and other organs. Most nerves are made up of bundles of nerve fibres, each of which is active in one of the various ways indicated and so the whole nerves several purposes.

The symptoms resulting from the inflammation of a nerve depend upon the variety of nerve fibres contained in the nerve. If these are sensory nerves, there will be pain and tenderness; motor nerves affected mean weakened muscles, and so on.

Prolonged exposure of one part of the body to cold, as occurs in sitting beside an open window in a motor car, may cause a local neuritis. Prolonged pressure on a nerve, as when the arm is held in a certain position, injury from a blow, or chronic pressure may set up a neuritis of the nerves affected.

The nerves are part of the body. No one part of the body is independent of the rest and so the nervous tissue may be involved in disease of other parts of the body, particularly if it is a general disease. Neuritis is not uncommon in such a disease as diabetes.

Poisons, such as alcohol, lead and arsenic, are responsible for the occurrence of neuritis which affects the nerves all over the body. The poisons or toxins given off by disease germs act in the same manner, and so, not

Infrequently, neuritis is found occurring in cases of diphtheria and typhoid fever.

The many causes of neuritis, some of which have been mentioned, are referred to in order to make clear that when neuritis does occur, it is absolutely necessary to find the cause of the condition if proper treatment is to be prescribed. First of all, it must be proven to be neuritis. Every ache and pain is not neuritis. Treatment then depends upon the cause. The patient, quite naturally, wants relief from his pain and discomfort, but temporary relief is not going to deal properly with the condition, because as long as the cause remains, relapses will occur. The removal of the cause is, of course, the purpose of proper treatment.

Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

BATTLES OF THE JUNGLE

The elephant is the real "king" of the forest, the giant among animals in both wisdom and strength. I have come to this conclusion after many years in the bush, during which I have been fortunate enough to have some unique and interesting experiences. Those which I shall describe are rarely witnessed.

Some years ago, in a district uninhabited, save the big game and teeming with lions, I saw these so-called "kings" avoid the challenge of an elephant cow with a haste completely devoid of dignity. I had noticed new spoor of a single elephant at a pan the night before, and followed it with two boys at dawn. Elephants were seldom seen in this retreat and I was interested.

About a mile from the pan we saw in the deep shade of some thorn bushes the head of a baby elephant. He seemed to be lying beneath a huge bush, but we afterwards found that he was lying in a shallow pit scooped in the sand by the cow, and covered with leafy branches she had piled over him. He was probably but a few days old.

The mother's trail to the bush was plain and down wind. The natives, and I, therefore, climbed a tree fifty feet away, to avoid giving scent, and waited. Perhaps an hour had passed when my attention was drawn to two yellow forms standing motionless on the cow's trail, about a hundred yards from the calf. For a few moments they eyed the calf fixedly, then turned and looked up and down the trail, sniffing the breeze in an attempt to locate the mother. At last they turned back and stepped slowly towards the calf, and I watched the stalk of a magnificent lion and lioness.

At about fifty paces they sank, belly to the ground, their tails twitching and at the same instant the calf's head rose higher and higher, as he struggled free of the bush and watched them anxiously. In a short rush, like a cat stalking a bird, the lions started to advance, and at the first movement a shrill scream of fear broke from the calf. I had raised my rifle to take a hand in the game, when a mighty trumpet note of rage answered the youngster. The peaceful bush swayed as to the impact of a cyclone, and, at a speed no horse could equal, the cow charged down the lions. The cow charged down the lions.

With ears flapping like sails, trunk extended and mouth open, she screamed destruction as she came, and with a 40-foot bound the lions sprang aside and flashed on through the bush without a backward glance. Straight to the calf she came, muzzle and snout anxiously and then, gazing in the direction the lions had taken, she trumpeted her anger and threat of vengeance in tones that shook the very earth. Nothing more was seen of the lions.

Years later I found evidence of a more successful lion foray, and its punishment. In the midst of dense, flattened bush, I found the smashed and torn remnants of what had been a lion; while the trampled vicinity looked as though a troop of elephants had danced there. But only one elephant had danced — a dance of rage and death, with the

lion as an unwilling partner. His body was stamped into the earth, a mass of blood and filth, and a few yards away lay the once-powerful limbs, torn from the body by a greater power.

Following a trail which showed the speed of the elephant's pursuit, we found, 10 miles away, the partly eaten remains of a very young calf. The cow had relaxed her vigilance on that occasion, but had exacted terrible vengeance for the lion's meal. Natives say that an elephant cow so robbed will follow the lion's trail for days; that lions know this, and seldom attack the calf unless desperate with hunger.

At intervals, through Africa are places which natives say are elephant cemeteries—"the place where elephants die." These are usually difficult of access and far removed from the usual haunts and feeding grounds. But I do not believe that the elephants consciously go there to die. My theory is that sick and wounded beasts—no longer able to travel at the herd pace or hold their own in combat—retire instinctively to places so remote that they offer sanctuary from molestation, and there die or recover, as chance may send.

In a certain district in the Katanga, I once found the skeletons of a dead elephant with tusks weighing 80 and 82 pounds. A few days later we found the remains of a cow with small tusks. But for a fortnight there was no sign of elephant, dead or alive. Then, one night, we heard the stomach rumblings of elephants in the direction of the water, followed by a single trumpet blast. At dawn, we cautiously approached the water, and saw there a large bull and two cows. One of the cows was lying down and the bull seemed strangely lethargic and disinclined to move away to shade. This was curious, as elephants are generally well within the forest by dawn, and seldom lie down.

Watching carefully, we noted bloodstains on the dark hides of all three, and presently saw, as the standing animals moved, that they limped badly. After an hour or so

they endeavored to raise the cow by pushing their tusks beneath her, but without effect. Then they limped painfully away to some trees. Late that afternoon, when we approached again, the cow was already dead, and the other two were standing beside her. The sun had nearly set when two more elephants emerged from the forest; one a bull, seemingly hale and vigorous, and a cow which staggered as she walked. Straight and silently to the group by the water they came, and while the cow drank thirstily and sprayed water in jets over her dusty hide, the bull stood

head to head, with the first to arrive. The pair seemed to gaze into each other's eyes, then trunks were gently intertwined and after perhaps ten minutes of such silent communion, the last arrival also turned and drank.

Next morning this smaller bull had vanished, and the three sick or wounded beasts—we did not get to know which—were feeding slowly about a mile from the water. On the face of it it looked as though this place were at least a hospital, if not a cemetery!

That evening only the big bull and the first cow came to water. We found the last to arrive had died about two miles away. Gradually the other two seemed to become more vigorous, and at last they moved off into the forest. On the route they had taken was a river 30 miles away, and we guessed they must feel better to attempt such a journey. We started to follow at once.

About 18 miles away we came upon the bull standing under a tree with the cow lying beside him. Evi-

dently she had over-estimated her strength and was "all in." Our rifles spoke together and the big bull dropped. Screaming weakly, the cow staggered to her feet and, before she could move, our rifles put an end to her troubles. Then we investigated.

On the back of the bull, just above the dark stain of blood which had drenched his side, was a nearly closed but septic wound, which had probably been caused by a broad-bladed spear. There was no trace of the weapon. The cow had been less fortunate. A deep wound in one lung had partly healed and then opened again—doubtless owing to premature exertion—and the hemorrhage had brought her down. Here also was no sign of a weapon. Later examination of the two (Continued on Page 7)

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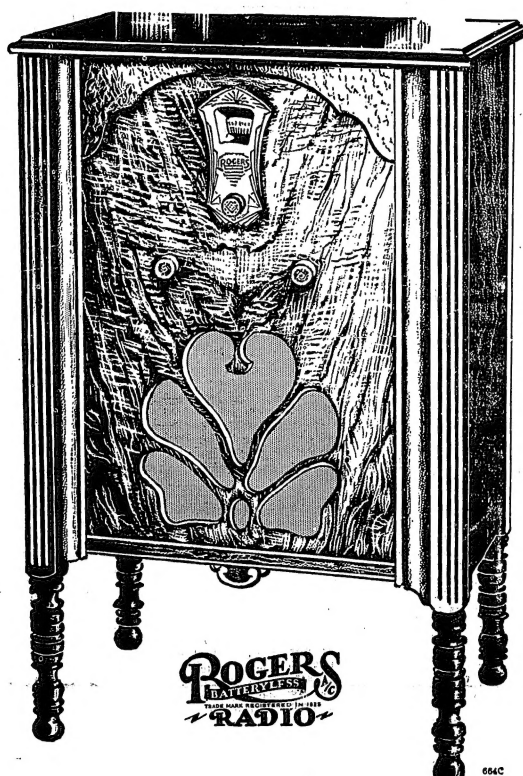
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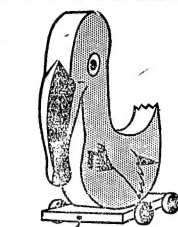
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statements and policies enunciated, yet he had made a valuable contribution to the debate. I propose," said he, "to accept the challenge of the Premier to criticize the Budget and point out where, in my opinion, economies can be effected and estimates cut down."

He urged on the Government the desirability of changing the fiscal year back to the old system, whereby it ended on Dec. 31st, instead of March 31st as at present. In the matter of expenditure, we were considering disbursements made nearly two years ago, or from March 31st, 1929, to March 31st, 1930. In these progressive and hustling times, when daily newspapers two or three days old were considered of little interest, it is difficult to have the public seriously consider ancient history as revealed in the public accounts. Probably this fact influenced the Government to make the change. In these days with modern accounting systems there was ample time to prepare the Budget by March 1st. Reverting to the calendar year would be more acceptable, less confusing, better understood and infinitely preferable. This is the first Budget, he said, after coming into possession of our Natural Resources, and now was the time to give attention to the best policy for the disposal of this new revenue.

Many items of expenditure could be curtailed or abolished. For instance, in matters of research we find three departments carrying out research work at a cost of \$122,000.00. One department could do this work, at a very large saving. He wondered how they were progressing in matters of research, and took the Minister of Public Works to task for using imported material in paving the street in front of the Parliament Building, instead of utilizing one of our Natural Resources, the McMurray Tar Sands, that were giving excellent satisfaction wherever used. Mr. Greenfield's office in London, costing yearly \$20,000.00 could be closed. The Labor Bureau with its 15 inspectors costing \$65,000.00 in salaries and travelling expenses, could be largely curtailed. \$15,000.00 for operating Government Employment Bureaus appeared excessive. One of the three Normal Schools could be closed, as any two could turn out all the teachers that could be readily absorbed. The Normal School in Calgary cost \$42,000.00 yearly to operate, the one in Edmonton \$40,000.00, and the one in Camrose \$27,000.00. The one closed could be rented, sold or used for other Provincial purposes. The School Debitures Branch costing \$7850.00 could now be eliminated. The Town Planning Department at a cost of \$13,350.00 should be reduced. The Chief Censor's office could be abolished at a saving of \$11,175.00, for it appeared senseless to censor films in each Province and by the Dominion as well. The revenue of \$18,000.00 earned by this department could be replaced and largely augmented by a tax on films if necessary. Sell all the government cars and close the government garage, costing \$150,000.00 yearly. The proposed Advisory Board for the Dept. of Lands and Mines, costing \$44,000.00, was not necessary. A good Deputy Minister could handle this without costly assistance. The office of Legislative Counsel could be eliminated at a saving of \$5450.00. Dr. Scott, the former incumbent, was now on a pension of \$1500.00 per year, was living in the Old Country, and was also in receipt of a remuneration from this government of \$9,000 to revise the statutes which he himself had prepared. The Member for Wetaskiwin demanded to know what sort of a pension scheme was in force in Alberta. Here was a man who had paid \$2400.00 into the pension fund and was now drawing a

pension of \$125 per month. Another man he knew of who had paid \$200 into the fund only was paid \$200 monthly, while based on Dr. Scott's pension it should be at least 50% more. Something surely was wrong here.

He criticized the Government severely with not dealing courageously and promptly with the irrigation problem in Southern Alberta. They had an investigation made in 1925 by an expert on irrigation matters, who presented a complete report with important recommendations. Owing to the failure of the Government to carry out these recommendations at that time it was necessary to spend this year over \$25,000.00. There were too many "unclassified" items all through the estimates, from \$9,550.00 down, and many expenses were charged to capital that in his opinion should properly be charged to income account.

Mr. Montgomery criticized the appointment of travelling magistrates on salary. This was a pet scheme of the Attorney General, but was a very expensive one. Competent men at various points were now available at no cost to the Government, while each trip around the circuit would cost in expenses about \$50.00. The recent appointment was absolutely unnecessary, but was apparently made to satisfy the demands of a persistent office hunter, and men with greater experience and ability were passed up. Many unnecessary miles were travelled and it will be most interesting and costly as well at the end of the year to peruse the statement of expenses of these travelling dispensers of justice. The system is bound to lend itself to abuse, for the tendency will likely be for some of these appointees in order to justify their positions, and make it self-sustaining, impose excessive fines. If it is absolutely necessary to have travelling magistrates their territory should be restricted and they should not be permitted to make long trips at so great an expense to the Province. Then too, it costs the Government immense sums through some of these magistrates committing persons for trial on the most flimsy evidences. He cited a case where a Police Magistrate informed officials of the law that it was only waste of money to lay a charge with the evidence they had. One of the travelling magistrates, however, took the case and committed the man for trial. He was confined at Fort Saskatchewan for five months, and then came up for trial and the charges were dropped, letting the case go to the jury. Besides the humiliation and loss of time suffered by the accused, the cost to the Province would be very great indeed. This was not the only case, but many others had experiences of a somewhat similar nature, and others had been caused considerable expense in defending charges that were not substantiated and that never should have been laid. Then, again, it had come to his attention that some magistrates would endeavor to secure a plea of guilty under the promise of leniency and in some instances the poor fellow were double crossed and soaked the limit and fines and imprisonment imposed much greater than would be the case if tried before a judge. At this point, the Attorney General rose and demanded to know why Mr. Montgomery had not complained to him or some official of his department as to this grave irregularity. The reply was that the most serious case only recently came to his attention and that he was now informing the Attorney General as to what had taken place. He wished it to be understood that none of these complaints originated in the City of Wetaskiwin.

There were many other items of expenditure to which exception could be taken, and they would all be objected to in committee at the proper time when the votes were up for discussion.

Co-operative Activities
To hear supporters of the Government say you would think they had a monopoly on co-operative legislation. However, it was the Liberal government that placed the first co-operative legislation on the Statute Book. The Wetaskiwin Member pointed out that in 1913 the Co-operative Association Act was passed, and in 1917 the Alberta Co-operative Credit Act and the Alberta Farm Loan Act were made law. The first and most important step in guaranteeing co-operative enterprises was taken by the Liberal Government in 1912, when the Alberta Co-operative Elevator Company, a farmers organization, was guaranteed to the extent of 35% of the cost of elevators. Payments have always been promptly met. This company was later merged with the United Grain Growers. This Company is altogether farmer owned and controlled, with assets of over \$1,000,000.00, and it is doubtful if there is another institution on this continent approaching its size, and owned and controlled by farmers with such an enviable record. It is interesting to know that in 1915 the directors approached the then government and asked for a guarantee to provide working capital. The government was not inclined to, but the directors rose to the occasion and made the necessary financial arrangements themselves. Had the government given them the guarantee as asked for, it would possibly have meant the downfall of the company in the end.

The Premier says he believes in giving public funds on reasonable security. But this security has not in many cases been obtained. Careless-

ness on the part of government officials in this respect will mean heavy losses to the Government. According to the auditors' report the Province will most likely be saddled with a loss of about \$500,000.00 in connection with certain guarantees given under the Co-operative Credit Act. Then again, there appears to be a lack of supervision in making purchases of property or equipment for various pools. No proper valuation was made, with the result that not only is the security of the government not sufficient to cover the guarantees, but the shareholders are burdened with a plant for which they have paid far more than it is worth. Companies are well managed, organized and established on a sound basis, and repay government advances as agreed there is no cause for public concern, but if the opposite is the case, and the loss of public money is possible, then the affairs of these particular companies become of Provincial interest and the government should exercise some supervision and measure of control. Disquieting rumors are prevalent concerning several Pool activities, where large losses are reported. This tends to injure the whole co-operative movement. It would be desirable to have an audited financial statement of every company receiving Provincial loans or guarantees presented to the Legislature each session. This would strengthen confidence in wisely managed companies, and those going behind might be steered in proper channels before too late, and in the end make successful enterprises, avert loss of public funds and maintain the morale of farmers associated with the organization. He was pleased to hear the Premier state that the auditor will present full information to the House dealing with all co-operatives.

Telephone
The Wetaskiwin Member took a crack at the telephone system of the Province, and charged that the Minister was doing nothing to meet a serious situation. Telephone wires were being taken out in large numbers owing to the inability of subscribers to pay the present rates. He suggested that they adopt the cooperative principle to the telephone system and the more telephones in use on a single line the cheaper the rates would be, and in outlying districts where telephones were far apart, pay boxes should be installed which would tend to assist the subscriber in meeting his monthly rates. He had heard that a franchise tax was being considered, and suggested that the adoption of this plan, which would be both objectionable and unpopular, "I advise the Minister," he said, "that the system is rapidly deteriorating." A small fleet storm results in miles of lines coming down, causing interruption for several days to the service and annoyance and inconvenience to subscribers. Alternate unemployment by using up their stock of 17,000 telephone poles and rebuilding the lines where necessary. Then purchase more poles if needed where they can be secured in the province, giving further employment. The system needs attention and the men need work. Many requests have been made for long distance extension. Favorable consideration should be given to these requests and where possible these lines should be extended this summer. Mr. Montgomery brought his address to a close by moving the amendment to revise and reduce the estimates and effect economy in the cost of government.

On Friday, the Member for Wetaskiwin at the opening of the session, rose to a question of privilege and made the following statement.

"I have been informed by the Speaker that it is possible that some remarks that I made yesterday in the course of my address relative to the action of certain magistrates could be interpreted as transgressing the rules of the House. If this is the case, I am very glad to withdraw any such remarks and at a later date I propose to again bring the matter before the House according to the proper procedure."

The Speaker explained that it was held by the authorities on "Parliamentary Procedure" that it was not in order to censure the actions of Courts of Justice which were interpreted to mean magistrates' courts. The proper and most convenient course is to proceed by way of petition.

PROVOST HARVESTERS STATE GRADE BETTER THAN IN FALL MONTHS

Provost, Feb. 28. — Harvesting which started in this district during the last few days of January, was in full swing all this week, and has been quite general, binders, combines and threshers being busily engaged in widely separated areas of the district.

Charles Pickle, who started combining 200 acres last week, considers the grain in much better condition than it was last fall and the grade is also higher.

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TUBERCULOSIS SITUATION IS TERMED FARCE

Edmonton, Feb. 27.—"At least 100 possibly 200 beds should be added immediately to the accommodation for tuberculosis patients in Alberta, otherwise our handling of the treatment of this disease is nothing less than a farce."

This was the statement of Dr. W. A. Atkinson, Conservative, Edmonton, in continuing the budget debate in the legislature Thursday evening. Conditions in Alberta in this regard, he thought, were "deplorable" since the present delay in admission in sanatoria represented the difference between hope and despair for many patients.

Recognizing the huge financial outlay required to meet the problem adequately he suggested that as an alternative plan the Keith Sanatorium be devoted largely to educational work in connection with tuberculosis; that patients be kept there for only a few months and sent home with instructions as to their own care, and that the present tuberculosis clinic be enlarged.

REGINA BANK BANDITS GET \$17,000 HAUL

Regina, Feb. 28.—Walking into the Thirteenth avenue and Albert street branch of the Royal Bank of Canada here shortly before 10 o'clock, a

masked and armed bandit held up the manager, Douglas Mellickjohn, just after he had opened the main vault, and, with the assistance of another masked partner, who entered later, rifled the vault of its contents and escaped in broad daylight with approximately \$17,000 in cash. The bandits are believed to have had an auto.

Upon the occasion of moving to the Moose hall, L.O.L. 191 celebrated on Wednesday, February 11, by having a "house warming." A number of brethren and sisters motored up from Wetaskiwin. An enjoyable hour was spent playing cards and Sister Hall, P.M., of Wetaskiwin L.O.B.A., gave a very interesting talk on the L.O.B.A., after which she expressed her sincere wish that Leduc would be successful in organizing one in the near future. Bro. H. Smith, P.M., of Wetaskiwin, gave much information as to the benefits of the L.O.L. An enjoyable lunch was then served. —Leduc Representative.

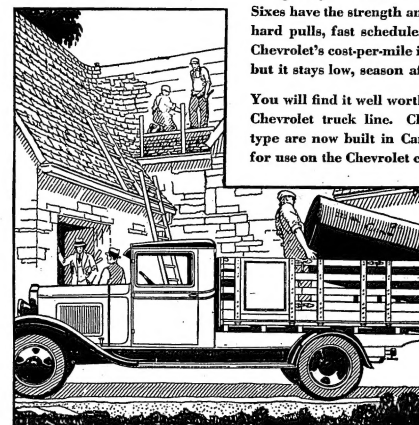
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OBITUARY

The death is announced of George Dwernychuk, Esq., at Fort Saskatchewan. He was a well known figure in sporting circles, and had the reputation of being an excellent shot.

He died early on Tuesday morning of suffocation, caused by a rope which got entangled too tight around his neck.

UNRESERVED

Auction Sale

HORSES, CATTLE, MACHINERY, HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on the N.E. of Section 11-46, 25, six miles east of Wetaskiwin, 2 1/2 miles south of Wynne, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 6

At one o'clock sharp, the following: HORSES—Team, Mare and Gelding, weight, 2400 lbs., 9 and 10 years; Gelding, 10 years, 1600 lbs.; Saddle Pony, 4 years old.

CATTLE—Milk Cow to freshen in spring, 2 Yearling Steers, 1 Heifer.

Quantity of Green Feed.

MACHINERY—Truck Wagon, Grain Box, Wagon Gear, Hay Rack, Democrat, Enclosed Cutter, Bob Sleigh, 14 in. Walking Plow, 12 inch Imperial Gang Plow, 16 inch Sulky Plow, 2 section lever Harrow, McCormick Rake, Panning Mill, Cutter Runners, Wheelbarrow, Crinoline.

HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS—Massey Harris Cream Separator, 4 Double Bedsteads and Springs, Washstand, Dresser, Household Scale, Single Bed and Spring, Writing Desk, 2 Heating Stoves, Hat Rack, Organ Chair, Gas Stove (kerosene burner), Linoleum Cleaner, 6 Kitchen Chairs, Arm Chair, Table, Child's Crib, Pictures, Paintings, 8-day Clock, Hanging Lamp, 22 Rifle, 16-jeweled Waltham Watch, 18 Gauge Shotgun, Fur Coat, Quantity of Clothes, Quantity of Dishes and silver, 10 socks of Hosiery and other articles.

Any person having any stock, etc., for sale may bring same to this sale. Free lunch at noon.

Everything must be sold as Mrs. Edmund is moving off the place.

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WINFIELD

No doubt many residents of Winfield and district will be interested to learn that Mr. S. H. Carter has been appointed registrar. It will be a great convenience that births, marriages and deaths may be registered here instead of elsewhere.

While Miss Phillips, district nurse at Pandryl, was in town last week, she called on little Joyce Woodbridge who was suffering from tonsillitis, and Joyce Abbott, who had swollen glands.

Mr. William Tait left for Battleford last week, having heard of the serious illness of his mother.

Wednesday was "Hog Day," and the following farmers were observed in town: Messrs. Long, Berg and Bettamine, all of Pandryl.

Messrs. Archie Donald and Ben Stady have gone to Antross to work in the Ross-Beard yards.

Mr. McElroy returned to his position in the Chevrolet Garage, Wetaskiwin, last week.

We understood that Miss Margaret Markerman and Mr. Finlay McNabb were married last Thursday. Congratulations!

NEW NORWAY

Miss Marguerite Gillis, who has been visiting with her uncle, Mr. M. MacIntyre, returned to her home at Yeoford last week.

Mrs. John Logan and small children spent the weekend with her mother near Lewisville.

Miss Harriett Goozee of Camrose, and Miss Ellie Goozee of Stettler, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Goozee.

Marjory Connery is spending this week in Edmonton, with her father and Grandma, Mrs. H. H. Connery.

Miss Alice Baird spent the weekend at the Hambley home near Duhamel.

Miss Jewell Campbell, who attends high school at Perinton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trautman and small son spent the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McManus at Wetaskiwin.

Mr. Oliver Holt drove to Edmonton last Tuesday, taking Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manson and daughter Laura. The latter was taken to consult a specialist and is now a patient in the University Hospital.

Miss June Beller, who has been employed in Edmonton for some time, came home last Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Beller.

Miss Jennie Latimer of near Camrose, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Butler.

Mrs. Noah Solberg and children who have been visiting here for the past four weeks, returned to their home at Ryley, on Wednesday of this week.

GWYNNE

Robert Womacks spent the week-end at home, returning to his work on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Roy McAllister as been visiting old neighbors and friends in the Gwynne village.

The Misses Cabush and Short spent a few days with Mrs. Loftgren last week.

The Gwynne Sunshine was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. Freeman. Quite a good number were present.

Harold Maynard wears a big smile. It's a girl.

The U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. will hold their regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Peters on Saturday, March 7th.

Election day was fine, and teams and cars were prominent on all the roads. We wish to congratulate our new Councilmen.

Ned Womacks has bought the old church bar and is tearing it down.

BITTERN LAKE

Ross Daley, who has been working near Black Diamond, Alberta, arrived here on Wednesday.

The Red Cross recital which took place in the school on Friday, was a real success. Parents and friends all enjoyed the program, which was followed by a very tasty lunch.

The tidy sum of about \$7.00 was realized. A. L. Peterson has completed the well for H. Ebert and is moving his outfit across the river to drill a well for H. Switzer.

LeRoy Tremlaevan is spending the week-end with his folks here.

C. Erickson was relief foreman on the section here while Mr. Holmstrom was away.

Mrs. E. Devall is spending the week in Edmonton to be with Mr. Devall, who is ill with rheumatism in the University Hospital.

Mr. S. Morita was in Edmonton on business for a couple of days this week.

Miss M. Smith spent the week-end visiting friends in Camrose. In Camrose, Delma Richmond, who has been spending the winter months in Edmonton, returned home on Saturday.

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WEEKLY STOCK MARKET REPORT

The following is a weekly report from the Edmonton Stock Yards, prepared by a Times representative, for the week ending March 3rd:

Receipts: Cattle, 554; calves, 146; hogs, 1111; sheep, 501.

So far this week receipts of cattle have really been insufficient to make or establish a market. Trading has been slow and the market generally dull, with buyers showing an indifferent attitude. Prices are holding barely steady with last week's decline of 25c to 50c per hundred.

Bulk of the good to choice butcher steers and heifers selling at \$4.50 to \$5.00 and they have to be hand-picked to bring that, common to mediums \$3.75 to \$4.25. Bulk of the good butcher cows \$3.25 to \$3.50, choice milk bring \$3.75, common to mediums \$2.50 to \$3.00. Canners and cutters \$1.50 to \$2.50; bulls \$2.25 to \$2.75.

Stockers are also showing a weaker tone. Stocker steers and heifers selling generally at \$4.00 to \$4.50, cows at \$3.00 to \$3.50.

Calf market is lower. Bulk of the good to choice light calves selling at \$8.00 to \$9.00, common to mediums at \$5.00 to \$7.00.

The hog market is unsettled. Today (Tuesday) overland hogs sold at \$5.35 and locals and driven-ins at \$5.25 for bacon fed and watered, with selects bringing a 50c premium and butchers being discounted 50c. Cuts on the offgrades remain unchanged and as follows: Heavies \$1.00 extra heavies \$1.50, No. 1 sows \$1.50, No. 2 sows \$2.00, roughs \$3.00, tags \$2.00 to \$3.00 and cripples \$2.00.

Trading on the sheep and lamb market is inclined to be dull and slow, with no material change noticeable in prices. Lambs selling at \$5.50 to \$6.50, yearlings at \$4.50 to \$5.00, odd choice up to \$5.25, ewes at \$3.00 to \$4.00.

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Edna Somcher 73.5

Johnny Krause 57.1

Rudolph Forth 51.6

Grade VI

Arthur Pohl 60.3

Reinhold Pohl 57.6

Gertrude Kaiser 51.6

Grade VII

Hazel Somcher 76.6

Rugia Forth 56.8

Grade VIII

Hildegard Fejers 86.6

Frieda Krause 79.5

MARY V. JACKSON, Teacher.

LONE RIDGE JUNIOR U.F.A.

The regular meeting of the above was held at La Ridge school on Wednesday, February 25th. After a short business meeting, a social evening was held, all spent a most enjoyable time.

A debate will be held between the Juniors and Biview Y.F.S. on March 11th at La Ridge hall. The subject is "Resolved, that Prohibition would be a hind to Canada."

Everybody welcome.

"I hear Smithfield to pass his examination for driver's license."

"Yes, his wife on an impediment in her speech."

THE DOMESTIC ANIMALS ACT (Municipalities)

Sale and Redemption of Impounded Animals Sec. 48)

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that one Mare white, slight dap, no brand, was impounded in the pound kept by P. F. Guenther, located on the S.W. 1/4 of 12-45-1 W. 5th, Friday, the 13th day of February, 1931, and that the said animal was sold on the 25th day of February, 1931, Haywood Parris of R.R.1, Falun.

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that one Mare, white star, white hind foot, brand G, lower left shou was impounded in the pound kept by P. F. Guenther, located on the S.W. 1/4 of 12-45-1 W. 5th, Friday, the 13th day of February, 1931, and that the said animal was sold on the 25th day of February, 1931, to Alice Smith of R.R.1, Falun.

Said animals may be redeemed by the owner or on behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice. The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

For information also the undersigned.

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statements and policies enunciated, yet he had made a valuable contribution to the debate. I propose," said he, "to accept the challenge of the Premier to criticize the Budget and point out where, in my opinion, economies can be effected and estimates cut down."

He urged on the Government the desirability of changing the fiscal year back to the old system, whereby it ended on Dec. 31st, instead of March 31st as at present. In the matter of expenditure, we were considering disbursements made nearly two years ago, or from March 31st, 1929, to March 31st, 1930. In these progressive and hustling times, when daily newspapers two or three days old were considered of little interest, it is difficult to have the public seriously consider ancient history as revealed in the public accounts. Probably this fact influenced the Government to make the change. In these days with modern accounting systems there was ample time to prepare the Budget by March 1st. Reverting to the calendar year would be more acceptable, less confusing, better understood and infinitely preferable. This is the first Budget, he said, after coming into possession of our Natural Resources, and now was the time to give attention to the best policy for the disposal of this new revenue. I submit that the revenue from sale or disposal of land, less costs of administration, be applied to the reduction of our public debt, and the revenue from all other sources be available for the reduction of taxation. He wished to say that the people throughout Alberta were greatly disappointed at the failure of the Government to administer affairs so that a general tax reduction could be effected. "I am," he said, "in complete accord with the reduction in car licenses of \$5.00 each, only it does not go far enough. I would go one step further and place license payments on a pro rata basis according to the number of months in the year during which each motorist ran his car." He felt sure there would be little, if any,

loss in revenue, as many cars would be operated under this system that otherwise would remain idle, and the returns from gasoline tax correspondingly affected.

"We of the Liberal Party," Mr. Montgomery continued, "content that economy has not been duly exercised in Provincial affairs, and expenditures generally have been permitted to rise. Of 13 government departments, 10 show greater expenditures for 1931 than for 1930, with the result that \$2,647,607.00 more is being spent this year than last."

The Premier stated that salaries of civil servants would not be reduced, but the estimates showed the general trend is towards an increase. "This may be expressed by annual increases automatically provided for, but, nevertheless, I contend the least that can be done at the present time would be to refrain from putting these increases into effect until financial conditions improve." He advised the Government to consider the English plan, by which the scale of all salaries increased or decreased according to the cost of living. He noted an increase in the number of employees. Surely this was not necessary at this time. The tendency everywhere is to curtail expenses by getting along with fewer on the payroll.

Many items of expenditure could be curtailed or abolished. For instance, in matters of research we find three departments carrying out research work at a cost of \$122,000.00. One department could do this work, at a very large saving. He wondered how they were progressing in matters of experimenting with tar sands for road purposes, and took the Minister of Public Works to task for using imported material in paving the street in front of the Parliament Building, instead of utilizing one of our Natural Resources, the McMurray Tar Sands, that were giving excellent satisfaction wherever used. Mr. Greenfield's office in London, costing yearly \$20,000.00 could be closed. The Labor Bureau with its 15 inspectors costing \$55,000.00 in salaries and travelling expenses, could be largely curtailed. \$41,500.00 for operating Government Employment Bureaus appeared excessive. One of the three Normal Schools could be closed, as any two could turn out all the teachers that could be readily absorbed. The Normal School in Calgary cost \$42,000.00 yearly to operate, the one in Edmonton \$40,000, and the one in Camrose \$27,000.00. The one closed could be rented, sold or used for other Provincial purposes. The School Debitures Branch costing \$785.00 could now be eliminated. The Town Planning Department at a cost of \$13,850.00 should be reduced. The Chief Censor's office could be abolished at a saving of \$11,750.00, for it appeared senseless to censor films in each Province and by the Dominion as well. The revenue of \$18,000.00 earned by this department could be replaced and largely augmented by a tax on films if necessary. Sell all the government cars and close the government garage costing \$150,000 yearly. The proposed Advisory Board for the Dept. of Lands and Mines, costing \$4,000, was not necessary. A good Deputy Minister could handle this without costly assistance. The office of Legislative Counsel could be eliminated at a saving of \$545.00. Dr. Scott, the former incumbent, was now on a pension of \$1500.00 per year, was living in the Old Country, and was also in receipt of a pension from this government of \$9,000. To revise the statutes which he himself had prepared. The Member for Wetaskiwin demanded to know what sort of a pension scheme was in force in Alberta. Here was a man who had paid \$2400.00 into the pension fund and was now drawing a

pension of \$125 per month. Another man he knew of who had paid \$900 into the fund only was paid \$32.00 monthly, while based on Dr. Scott's pension it should be at least 50% more. Something surely was wrong here.

He criticized the Government severely with not dealing courageously and promptly with the irrigation problem in Southern Alberta. They had an investigation made in 1925 by an expert on irrigation matters, who presented a complete report with important recommendations. Owing to the failure of the Government to carry out these recommendations at that time it was necessary to spend this year over \$625,000.00. There were too many "unclassified" items all through the estimates, from \$9,650.00 down, and many expenses were charged to capital this in his opinion should properly be charged to income account.

Mr. Montgomery criticized the appointment of travelling magistrates on salary. This was a pet scheme of the Attorney General, but was a very expensive one. Competent men at various points were now available at no cost to the Government, while each trip around the circuit would cost in expenses about \$50.00. The recent appointment was absolutely unnecessary, but was apparently made to satisfy the demands of a persistent office hunter, and men with greater experience and ability were passed up. Many unnecessary miles were travelled and it will be most interesting and costly as well at the end of the year to peruse the statement of expenses of these travelling dispensers of justice. The system is bound to lend itself to abuse, for the tendency will likely be for some of these appointments in order to reach their positions, and make it self-sustaining, impose excessive fines. If it is absolutely necessary to have travelling magistrates their territory should be restricted and they should not be permitted to make long trips at so great an expense to the Province. Then too, it costs the Government immense sums through some of these magistrates committing persons for trial on the most flimsy evidences. He cited a case where a Police Magistrate informed officials of the law that it was only waste of money to lay a charge with the evidence they had. One of the travelling magistrates, however, took the case and committed the man for trial. He was confined at Fort Saskatchewan for five months, and when he came up for trial the Judge dismissed him without letting the case go to the jury. Besides the humiliation and loss of time suffered by the accused, the case had to be retried, at a very great indeed. This was not the only case, but many others had experiences of a somewhat similar nature, and others had been caused considerable expense in defending charges that were not substantiated and that never should have been laid. Then, again, it had to be tried before the Judge, and some magistrates would endeavor to secure a plea of guilty under the promise of leniency and in some instances the poor fellows were double-crossed and soaked the limit and fines and imprisonment imposed much greater than would be the case if tried before a Judge. At this point, the Attorney General rose and demanded to know why Mr. Montgomery had not complained to him or some official of his department as to this grave irregularity. The reply was that the most serious case only recently came to his attention and that he was now informing the Attorney General as to what had taken place. He wished it to be understood that none of these complaints originated in the City of Wetaskiwin.

There were many other items of expenditure to which exception could be taken, and they would all be objected to in committee at the proper time when the votes were up for discussion.

Co-operative Activities

To hear supporters of the Government talk, you would think they had a monopoly on co-operative legislation. However, it was the Liberal government that placed the first co-operative legislation on the Statute Book. The Wetaskiwin Member pointed out that in 1913 the Co-operative Association Act was passed, and in 1917 the Alberta Co-operative Credit Act and the Alberta Farm Loan Act were made law. The first and most important step in guaranteeing co-operative enterprises was taken by the Liberal Government in 1912, when the Alberta Co-operative Elevator Company, a farmers organization, was guaranteed to the extent of 5% of the cost of elevators. Payments have always been promptly made by the company to the farmers of with the United Grain Growers. This Company is altogether farmer owned and controlled, with assets of over \$12,000,000.00 and it is doubtful if there is another institution on this continent approaching its size, and owned and controlled by farmers with such an enviable record. It is interesting to know that in 1915 the directors approached the then government and asked for a guarantee to provide working capital. The request was not accepted, but the directors rose to the occasion and made the necessary financial arrangements themselves. Had the government given them the guarantee as asked for, it would possibly have meant the downfall of the company in the end.

The Premier says he believes in giving public funds on reasonable security. But this security has not in many cases been obtained. Careless-

ness on the part of government officials in this respect will mean heavy losses to the Government. According to the auditors' report the Province will most likely be saddled with a loss of about \$500,000.00 in connection with certain guarantees given under the Co-operative Credit Act. Then again, there appears to be a lack of supervision in making purchases of property or equipment for various pools. No proper valuation was made, with the result that not only is the security of the government not sufficient to cover the guarantees, but the shareholders are burdened with a plant for which they have paid far too much. If companies are well managed, organized and established on a sound basis, and repay government advances as agreed, there is no cause for public concern, but if the opposite is the case, and the loss of public money is possible, then the affairs of these particular companies become of Provincial interest and the government should exercise some supervision and measure of control. Disquieting rumors are prevalent concerning several Pool activities, where large losses are reported. This tends to injure the whole co-operative movement. It would be desirable to have an audited financial statement of every company receiving Provincial loans or guarantees presented to the Legislature each session. This would strengthen confidence in wisely managed companies, and those going behind might be steered in proper channels before too late, and in the end make successful enterprises, avert loss of public funds and maintain the morale of farmers associated with the organization. He was pleased to hear the Premier state that the auditor will present full information to the House dealing with all co-operatives.

Telephones

The Wetaskiwin Member took a crack at the telephone system of the Province, and charged that the Minister was doing nothing to meet a serious situation. Telephones were being taken out in large numbers owing to the inability of subscribers to pay the present rates. He suggested that they adopt the cooperative principle to the telephone system and the more telephones in use on a single line the cheaper the rates would be, and in outlying districts where telephones were far apart, pay boxes should be installed which would tend to assist the subscriber in meeting his monthly rates. He had heard that a frontage tax was being considered, but warned against the adoption of this plan, which would be both objectionable and unpopular. "I advise the Minister," he said, "that the system of rates is deteriorating. A small fleet storm results in miles of lines coming down, causing interruption for several days to the service and annoyance and inconvenience to subscribers. Alleviate unemployment by using up their stock of 17,000 telephone poles and rebuilding the lines where necessary. Then purchase more poles if needed where they can be secured in the province, giving further employment. The system needs attention and the men need work. Many requests have been made for long distance extension. Favorable consideration should be given to these requests and where possible these lines should be extended this summer. Mr. Montgomery brought his address to a close by moving the amendment to revise and reduce the estimates and effect economy in the cost of government."

On Friday, the Member for Wetaskiwin at the opening of the session, rose to a question of privilege and made the following statement:

"I have been informed by the Speaker that it is possible that some remarks that I made yesterday in the course of my address relative to the action of certain magistrates could be interpreted as transgressing the rules of the House. If this is the case, I am very glad to withdraw any such remarks and at a later date I propose to again bring the matter before the House according to the proper procedure."

The Speaker explained that it was held by the authorities on "Parliamentary Procedure," that it was not in order to censure the actions of Courts of Justice which were interpreted to mean magistrates' courts. The proper and most convenient course is to proceed by way of petition.

PROVOST HARVESTERS STATE GRADE BETTER THAN IN FALL MONTHS

Provost, Feb. 28.—Harvesting which started in this district during the last few days of January, was in full swing all this week, and has been quite general, binders, combines and threshers being busily engaged in widely separated areas of the district.

Charles Pickle, who started combining 200 acres last week, considered the grain in much better condition than it was last fall and the grade is also higher.

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We have pleasure in announcing that a series of advertisements will appear in our advertising columns for The Paulin Chambers Company Ltd., the oldest established firm of manufacturers of biscuits and confectionery in Western Canada. Paulin's Peppermint Cream Soda—in the Long Red Package—are known to every

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STARTING FRIDAY at 9 o'clock we will offer the balance of our Fire Stock, which was NOT DAMAGED by FIRE or WATER—at LESS than wholesale prices. ENDING MARCH 15

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housewife in the West. And they are Made in the West. Every time you buy a Long Red Package you help to keep the wheels turning and workers employed in farming, dairying, flour milling, lumbering, paper-making, printing, biscuit making and many other allied industries.

And we suggest the thought that if our Western people are to have money to spend there must be sound and busy Western industries in which they can earn good steady wages. "What Western Canada Makes—Makes Western Canada" is a slogan which, in urging support of Western industries, puts the matter in a nutshell.

TUBERCULOSIS SITUATION IS TERMED FARCE

Edmonton, Feb. 27.—"At least 100 possibly 200 beds should be added immediately to the accommodation for tuberculosis patients in Alberta, otherwise our handling of the treatment of this disease is nothing less than a farce."

This was the statement of Dr. W. A. Atkinson, Conservative, Edmonton, in continuing the budget debate in the legislature Thursday evening. Conditions in Alberta in this regard, he thought, were "deplorable" since the present delay in admission in sanatoria represented the difference between hope and despair for many patients.

Recognizing the huge financial outlay required to meet the problem adequately he suggested that as an alternative plan the Keith Sanatorium be devoted largely to educational work in connection with tuberculosis; that patients be kept there for only a few months and sent home with instructions as to their own care, and that the present tuberculosis clinic be enlarged.

REGINA BANK BANDITS GET \$17,000 HAUL

Regina, Feb. 28.—Walking into the Thirteenth avenue and Albert street branch of the Royal Bank of Canada here shortly before 10 o'clock, a

masked and armed bandit held up the manager, Douglas Melville, just after he had opened the main vault, and, with the assistance of another masked partner, who entered later, rifled the vault of its contents and escaped in broad daylight with approximately \$17,000 in cash. The bandits are believed to have had an auto.

Upon the occasion of moving to the Moose hall, L.O.L. 191 celebrated on Wednesday, February 11, by having a "house warming." A number of brethren and sisters motored up from Wetaskiwin. An enjoyable hour was spent playing cards and Sister Hall, P.M., of Wetaskiwin L.O.B.A., gave a very interesting talk on the L.O.B.A., after which she expressed her sincere wish that Leduc would be successful in organizing one in the near future. Bro. H. Smith, P.M., of Wetaskiwin, gave much information as to the benefits of the L.O.L. An enjoyable lunch was then served. —Leduc Representative.

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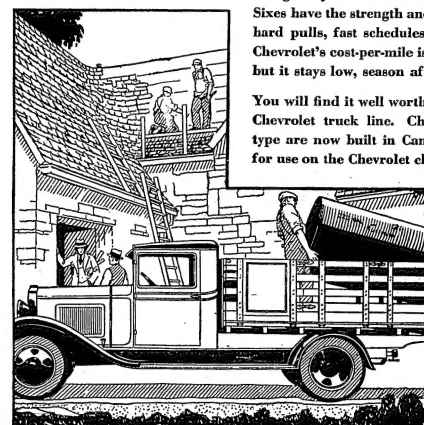
Danger lies in careless selection of laxatives! By taking the first thing that comes to mind when bad breath, headaches, dizziness, nausea, biliousness, gas on stomach and bowels, lack of appetite or energy warns of constipation, you risk forming the laxative habit.

Depend on a doctor's judgment in choosing your laxative. Here is one made from the prescription of a specialist in bowel and stomach disorders. Its originator tried it in thousands of cases; found it safe for women, children and old folks; thoroughly effective for the most robust man. Today, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, as it is called, is the world's most popular laxative. It is composed of fresh herbs and other pure ingredients. You can get it in generous bottles and ready for use, at any drugstore.

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CHEVROLET trucks are always ready to do a good job—at low cost. These big, powerful Sixes have the strength and stamina for long hauls, hard pulls, fast schedules and rough going. And Chevrolet's cost-per-mile is not only extremely low, but it stays low, season after season.

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FOR SALE—Grey wicker baby carriage, in good condition. Apply to Mrs. W. J. Burroughs, Box 488, Wetaskiwin. 50-1tn

FOR SALE—Young team of well-matched black Percherons, weight 3500 lbs. Will sell for cash, or trade for cattle. Apply to Charles Lomas, Blitter Lake. 50-2tn

FOR SALE—Cockerels from bred-to-day flocks, sires records up to 345; S.C. White Leghorns, Barred Plymouth Rocks, R.C. Rhode Island Reds and Buff Orpingtons. Price \$2, \$3, and \$5 each. Phone R911, Gale's Hatchery, Wetaskiwin. 49-1tn

FOR SALE—House known as the Francis house, on Stanley street W. Terms reasonable. Fully modern. Apply to C. B. McMurdo Agencies, Wetaskiwin. 48-4tn

LUMBER FOR SALE—Any kind, any quantity. Delivered anywhere. It will pay you to get prices from W. B. Fullerton, Phone R102, Battle Lake. 22-4tn

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TO RENT—Five roomed house to rent, reasonable; corner Leonard and Rosensoll Street. Apply Rosensoll Limited. 50-4tn

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OBITUARY

The death is announced of George Dwernychuk, Esq., at Fort Saskatchewan. He was a well known figure in sporting circles, and had the reputation of being an excellent shot.

He died early on Tuesday morning of suffocation, caused by a rope which got entangled too tight around his neck.

UNRESERVED

Auction Sale

of
HORSES, CATTLE, MACHINERY,
HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS
The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on the N.E. of Section 11-46-23, six miles east of Wetaskiwin, 2½ miles south of Gwynne, on
FRIDAY, MARCH 6
At one o'clock sharp, the following:
HORSES—Team, Mare and Gelding, weight, 2400 lbs., 9 and 10 years; Gelding, 10 years, 1600 lbs.; Saddle Pony, 4 years old.
CATTLE—Milk Cow to freshen in spring, 2 Yearling Steers, 1 Heifer.
HOGS—2 Brood Sows.
Quantity of Green Feed.
MACHINERY — Truck, Wagon, Grain Box, Wagon, Hay Rack, Demolator, Enclosed Cutter, Bob Sleigh, 14 in. Walking Plow, 12 inch Imperial Gang Plow, 16 inch Sulky Plow, 2 section lever Harrow, McCormick Rake, Fanning Mill, Cutter Runners, Wheelbarrow, Grindstone.
HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS—Massive Harris Cream Separator, 4 Double Bedsteads and Springs, Washstand, Dresser, Household Scale, Single Bed and Spring, Writing Desk, 2 Heating Stoves, Hat Rack, Organ Chair, Gas Stove (kerosene burner), Linoleum Cleaner, 5 Kitchen Chairs, Arm Chair, Table, Child's Crib, Pictures, Paintings, 8-day Clock, Hanging Lamp, 22 Rifle, 15-jewel Waltham Watch, 32 Gauge Shotgun, Fur Coat, Quantity of Clothes, Quantity of Dishes and silver, 10 sacks of Potatoes.
Several sets of Harness and other articles.
Any person having any stock, etc., for sale may bring same to this sale. Free lunch at noon.
Everything must be sold as Mrs. Edlund is moving off the place.
TERMS CASH
GEO. L. OWEN, Auctioneer.
ALEX. EDLUND,
Administrator of the Estate of the late John Edlund.

NOTICE!

Replying to this notice will bring you full particulars of our organization. If you have business ability, personality, are interested in serving the public with an entirely new fabric for suits and dresses, in earning from \$100.00 to \$1000.00 this spring, and in establishing your own business, answer at once!

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APPRECIATION

To the Ratepayers of Division 6.
I wish to thank you all for the confidence you have showed by giving me such a wonderful support at the polls on Saturday last. I shall at all times try to merit that confidence by remembering that all parts of this Division have equal rights, and shall try to place and distribute my work so that it will benefit the greatest number of ratepayers. I realize that I shall not be able to please every one, but when you hear of things you do not approve of, come to me instead of going to your neighbors. I believe at most times matters can be satisfactorily arranged by all co-operating with each other, and working together we can attain the best results.

Again I want to thank everyone who supported me and in other ways helped to elect me.

Sincerely yours,
EDWARD JOHNSON.



SITUATIONS VACANT

The City Council are open to receive applications for the position of a Working Foreman for the City Public Works Department.

The applicant would be required to take over the City team and take charge of the City road work and other duties, full particulars of which may be obtained at the City Office.

Send sealed tenders stating terms for undertaking this work to the undersigned.
J. E. PRASER,
City Clerk and Treasurer.

MORTGAGE SALE
OF FARM PROPERTY

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Titles Act" under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the Post Office in the City of Wetaskiwin in the Province of Alberta, on
SATURDAY, APRIL 4, A.D. 1931
at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

The South half of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Forty-six (46), Range Twenty-five (25), West of the Fourth Meridian, in the said Province, containing by admeasurement Three Hundred and Twenty (320) acres, more or less. Reserving unto the Canadian Pacific Railway Company all coal on or under the said land.

Terms of sale to be ten per cent. cash at the time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendors' solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved bid and free from all encumbrances, save taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property is situated about 3 miles from the City of Wetaskiwin, and 4½ miles from the Post Office of Brightview. The nearest school is 2 miles away, and the nearest grain elevator is at Wetaskiwin.

The land consists of 12 to 18 inches of black loam with a subsoil of clay.
The land contains approximately 320 acres of which 100 acres are under cultivation. Another 175 acres can be broken. There are approximately 25 acres of waste land. The land is all fenced with 2 wires, except West side of S.W. ¼, also about 1½ miles cross fence. There is one good well on the land.

The following buildings are erected on the land: 1½ storey frame, shingle roofed dwelling, 16x25; 1½ storey frame, shingle roofed barn, 32x58 ft.; 1 storey frame, shingle roofed garage, 10x12 ft.; 1 storey frame, shingle roofed hog house, 12x22 ft.; 1 storey frame, shingle roofed tool house, 8x10 ft.; 1 storey frame, shingle roofed shed, 12x12 ft., and addition thereto; chicken house, 9x9 ft.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Messrs. Newell, Lindsay, Emery & Ford, Barristers, Canada Permanent Building, Edmonton, Alberta.

Dated at Edmonton in the Province of Alberta this 4th day of February, A.D. 1931.

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WINFIELD

No doubt many residents of Winfield and district will be interested to learn that Mr. S. H. Carter has been appointed registrar. It will be a great convenience that births, marriages and deaths may be registered here instead of elsewhere.

While Miss Phillips, district nurse at Pendry, was in town last week, she called on little Joyce Woodbridge who was suffering from tonsillitis, and Joyce Abbott, who had swollen glands.

Mr. William Tait left for Battleford last week, having heard of the serious illness of his mother.

Wednesday was "Hog Day," and the following farmers were observed in town: Messrs. Long, Berg and Bettlamine, all of Pendry.

Messrs. Archie Donald and Ben Stady have gone to Antross to work in the Ross-Beard yards.

Mr. McIlroy returned to his position in the Chevrolet Garage, Wetaskiwin, last week.

We understand that Miss Margaret Markerman and Mr. Finlay McNabb were married last Thursday. Congratulations!

NEW NORWAY

Miss Marguerite Gillis, who has been visiting with her uncle, Mr. M. MacIntyre, returned to her home at Yeoford last week.

Mrs. John Logan and small children spent the week-end with her mother near Lewisville.

Miss Harriet Goosie of Camrose, and Miss Edna Goosie of Stettler, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Goosie.

Marjory Connery is spending this week in Edmonton, with her father and Grandma, Mrs. H. H. Connery.

Miss Alice Baird spent the week-end at the Hambley home near Duhamel.

Miss Jewell Campbell, who attends high school at Fernintosh, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trautman and small son spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McManus at Wetaskiwin.

Mr. Oliver Holt drove to Edmonton last Tuesday, taking Mr. and Mrs. Frank Matson and daughter Laura. The latter was taken to consult a specialist and is now a patient in the University Hospital.

Miss June Beller who has been employed in Edmonton for some time, came home last Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Beller.

Miss Jennie Lettmer of near Camrose, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Butler.

Mrs. Noah Solberg and children who have been visiting here for the past four weeks, returned to their home at Ryley, on Wednesday of this week.

GWYNNE

Robert Womack spent the week-end at home, returning to his work on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Roy McAllister has been visiting old neighbors and friends in the Gwynne vicinity.

The Misses Calush and Short spent a few days with Mrs. Lofgren last week.

The Gwynne Sunshine was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. Freeman. Quite a good number were present.

Harold Maynard wears a big smile. It's a girl.

The U.P.A. and U.P.W.A. will hold their regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Peters on Saturday, March 7th.

Election day was fine, and teams and cars were prominent on all the roads. We wish to congratulate our new Council.

Ned Weeks has bought the old church bar and is tearing it down.

BITTERN LAKE

Ross Daley, who has been working near Black Diamond, Alberta, arrived here on Wednesday.

The Red Cross recital which took place in the school on Friday, was a real success. Parents and friends all enjoyed the program, which was followed by a very tasty lunch. The tidy sum of about \$7.00 was realized.

A. L. Peterson has completed the well for H. Elgert and is moving his outfit across the river to drill a well for Mr. Switzer.

Lofrey Treasler is spending the week-end with his folks here.

C. Erick is relief foreman on the section here while Mr. Holmstrom was away.

Mrs. S. Devall is spending the week in Edmonton to be with Mr. Devall, who is ill with rheumatism in the University Hospital.

Mr. S. Morita was in Edmonton on business for a couple of days this week.

Miss M. Smith spent the week-end visiting friends in Camrose.

Delma Blair, who has been spending the winter months in Edmonton, returned home on Saturday.

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WEEKLY STOCK
MARKET REPORT

The following is a weekly report from the Edmonton Stock Yards, prepared by a Times representative, for the week ending March 3rd:

Receipts: Cattle, 554; calves, 145; hogs, 1111; sheep, 301.

So far this week, receipts of cattle have really been insufficient to make or establish a market. Trading has been slow and the market generally dull, with buyers showing an indifferent attitude. Prices here holding barely steady with last week's decline of 25¢ to 50¢ per hundred.

Bulk of the good to choice butcher steers and heifers selling at \$4.50 to \$5.00 and they have to be handy weights to bring that, common to mediums \$3.75 to \$4.25. Bulk of the good butcher cows \$3.25 to \$3.50, choice might bring \$3.75, common to mediums \$2.50 to \$3.00. Canners and cutters \$1.50 to \$2.50; bulls \$2.25 to \$2.75.

Stockers are also showing a weaker tone. Stocker steers and heifers selling generally at \$4.00 to \$4.50, cows at \$3.00 to \$3.50.

Calf market is lower. Bulk of the good to choice light weaners selling at \$5.00 to \$5.50, common to mediums at \$5.00 to \$7.00.

The hog market is unsettled. Today (Tuesday) carload hogs sold at \$5.35 and locals and driven-ins at \$5.25 for bacon fed and watered, with select bringing a 50¢ premium and butchers being discounted 50¢. Cuts on the offgrades remain unchanged and as follows: Heavies \$1.00, extra heavies \$1.50, No. 1 sows \$1.50, No. 2 sows \$2.00, roughs \$3.00, stags \$2.00 to \$3.00 and cripples \$2.00.

Trading on the sheep and lamb market is inclined to be dull and slow, with no material change noticeable in prices. Lambs selling at \$5.50 to \$6.50, yearlings at \$4.50 to \$5.00, odd choice up to \$5.25, ewes at \$3.00 to \$4.00.

PLEASANT PRAIRIE SCHOOL
RESULTS

Grade I—Junior
Raymond Strohschein 80.5
Lorne Strohschein 73.75
Edwin Feldberg 69.25

Grade I—Senior
Ed. Karlo 89.75
Elsie Pohl 85.5
Robert Forth 74.75

Grade II
Eleanor Forth 84
Arnold Forth 60.5

Grade IV
Eddie Krause 66
Edwin Somcher 65
Richards Forth 62.4

Grade V
Bernice Strohschein 72.3
Hilda Schultz 61
Edna Somcher 73.5
Johnny Krause 67.1
Rudolph Forth 61.6

Grade VI
Arthur Pohl 60.3
Reinhold Pohl 57.6
Gertrude Kaler 51.6

Grade VII
Hazel Somcher 76.8
Rugia Forth 56.6

Grade VIII
Hildegard Feldberg 86.6
Frieda Krause 79.9

MARY V. JACKSON, Teacher.

LONE RIDGE JUNIOR U.F.A.

The regular meeting of the above was held at Lone Ridge school on Wednesday, February 25th. After a short business meeting, a social evening was held and all spent a most enjoyable time.

A debate will be held between the Juniors and Brightview Y.P.S. on March 13th at Lone Ridge hall. The subject is "Resolved, that Prohibition would be a benefit to Canada." Everybody welcome.

"I hear Smith failed to pass his examination for a driver's license."
"Yes, his wife had an impediment in her speech."

THE DOMESTIC ANIMALS ACT
(Municipalities)

Sale and Redemption of Impounded Animals (Sec. 48)

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that one Mare white, slight dappled, no brand, was impounded in the pound kept by P. F. Guenther, located on the S.W. ¼ of 12-45-1 W. 5th, on Friday, the 13th day of February, 1931, and that the said animal was sold on the 25th day of February, 1931, to Haywood Farris of R.R.1 Falun.

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that one Mare white star, white left hind foot, brand G, lower left shoulder, was impounded in the pound kept by P. F. Guenther, located on the S.W. ¼ of 12-45-1 W. 5th, on Friday, the 13th day of February, A.D. 1931, and that the said animal was sold on the 25th day of February, 1931, to Alice Smith of R.R.1 Falun.

Said animals may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

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Wednesday ONLY, 8 p.m. March 11
"FAST AND LOOSE"
 Adapted from Avery Hopwood's famous and sensational stage play "Best People." It centres around the love affair of a society girl and a garage mechanic. Please remember it will be here for one day only. Showing nightly at 8 and 10 p.m.
 Thursday, Friday, Saturday March 12-13-14
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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TARIFF HEARINGS

AT OTTAWA START

Ottawa, Feb. 27, (Special to The Times).—The first regular session of Parliament under the premiership of Mr. Hon. R. B. Bennett, which will open March 12, gives promise of being one of the most important as well as one of the most interesting in Dominion history.

Legislation to implement many of the pre-election pledges of the premier will be introduced. Under this heading action will be taken to relieve the provinces of the burden of Old Age Pensions, to initiate the National Highway plan and to restore grants in aid of technical education. Provision will also be made to cope with continued problems of unemployment and to assure seed and feed to distressed agriculturists as well as to extend aid to those farmers wishing to engage in mixed farming.

Of primary interest, of course, will be the revision of the tariff. A committee of the cabinet started work on February 17 on a series of tariff hearings where all those interested in changes will be heard. Agricultural and farm products items are now under consideration. The committee may continue its hearings after Parliament meets as evidence can be heard until immediately before the budget is presented.

BORN

CONNELL—In the Wetaskiwin hospital on February 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Connell of Ponoka, a son. MAYGARD—On February 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Maygard, of Gwynne, a daughter.

ALM—In the Wetaskiwin hospital on February 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Alm, a son. MCKENNA—On the 2nd inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Peter McKenna of Hobbema, a son.

CARD OF THANKS

Our deep appreciation and thanks are hereby extended to neighbors and friends for their kind sympathy and floral tributes at our recent bereavement. Also to the Malmo choir for songs rendered and for the beautiful decoration of the church.
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Church and Sunday School

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
 Rev. Oluf Asper, Pastor
 The Young People's Society of Wang Congregation will meet at the church Saturday evening, March 7th, at 8 o'clock.
 On Sunday, March 8th, Mr. Troland, a lay preacher, will conduct services at Wang at 2 p.m. The plan is that he may remain about a week to conduct a series of devotional meetings at Wang and in Wetaskiwin. The Norwegian language will be used at the first meeting. At subsequent meetings, both English and Norwegian will be used.
 English services at Wetaskiwin Sunday evening, March 8th, at 7:30 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN
 Rev. C. J. Mackay, Minister
 Sabbath services—
 Morning—11.
 Evening—7:30.
 Sabbath School—12:15 p.m.

IMMANUEL CHURCH
 Rev. P. C. Wade, L.Th.
 H. M. Robinson, A.T.C.M., Organist
 Sunday, March 8th—Lent III—
 11 a.m.—Morning prayer and sermon.
 2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.
 Mid-week Lenten service for children every Thursday at 4:15. Litany and address every Thursday during Lent, 8 p.m.
 Vicarage: Adjacent to church. Phone 228.

ZION LUTHERAN
 (Dickson Avenue)
 Rev. A. Appelt, Pastor
 Sunday, March 8—
 10:45 a.m.—German.
 12:15 Noon English Sunday school.

No evening service.
 All young people confirmed during the past ten years are invited to a short meeting after the morning service.
 Saturday school, 9:30 a.m.

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
 Minister, Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D.
 Choir leader, W. M. M. Touche
 Sunday, March 8—
 11 a.m.—Morning worship. Anthem "A Call to Praise" (Porter) by Junior Choir.

2 p.m.—Church membership class.
 2:30 p.m.—Sunday School.
 7:30 p.m.—Evening worship. Anthem "Like as a Father" (Willson) by Senior Choir; vocal duet "For ever with the Lord" (Gounod), Mrs. C. W. Wallin and Mr. Touche.
 Rev. D. K. Allan of Westlock, will conduct worship at the morning and evening services.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 W. J. Ewing, Pastor
 10:30—Sunday school.
 11:30—Morning service. Topic: "Creation—Not Evolution."
 7:30—Evangelistic service.
 Thursday evening at 8—Prayer meeting.

Friday evening at 7:30, Y.P.S. Rev. A. Wickstrom of the Swedish Mission Church will speak in the Church of the Nazarene on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Wickstrom is a returned missionary from Africa, and will speak on that country.
WALDHEIM LUTHERAN
 Rev. A. Appelt, Pastor
 Sunday, March 8—
 2:15 p.m.—German.
 7:30 p.m.—English.

SWEDISH MISSION CHURCH
 Rev. Arvid N. Wickstrom
 Sunday, March 8—
 Malmo, 1:30 p.m., Sunday school and Bible class; 2:30 p.m., Evangelistic service.
 Wetaskiwin: 11 a.m., Sunday school and Bible class; 8 p.m., Gospel service.

New Sweden: 10:30 a.m., Sunday school.
 Friday, March 6th—Bible study at K. Mossen's at 8 p.m.
 Tuesday, Bible reading in Wetaskiwin at 8 p.m.

SWEDISH BAPTIST
 P. M. Meyer, Minister
 Sunday, March 8th—
 Wetaskiwin: 11 a.m., Sunday school; 8 p.m., Gospel service. Topic, "Christ before Herod the fox." Second in series of pre-Easter sermons from "The trial of Jesus."
 Haultain school—11 a.m., Gospel service.

Nashville Church—11 a.m.—Sunday school; 3 p.m., Gospel service.
 Tuesday afternoon, March 10th, the Wetaskiwin Ladies' Aid will meet at the Parsonage.

Wednesday, 8 p.m., prayer meeting at Nashville.
 Thursday afternoon, March 12, the Crooked Lake Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Haggstrom.

Friday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting.
GWYNNE GOSPEL TABERNACLE
 Services every Sunday at 8 p.m.
 Sunday school, 11 a.m.
 Everybody welcome.

THE SALVATION ARMY
 Hollenbeck meeting, 11 a.m.
 Company meeting, 8 p.m.
 Salvation meeting, 7:30 p.m.
 Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.
 Thursday—Public meeting, 8 p.m.

PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY
 10:30 a.m.—Dorothy.
 12 Noon, Sunday school.
 7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic.

ENUMERATORS IN DOMINION CENSUS WILL OUTNUMBER WOLFE'S ARMY

Ottawa, Feb. 27.—Three times as many persons will be needed to complete Canada's decennial census this summer as Wolfe had when he stormed the Quebec citadel to annex the country to the British empire, R. H. Coats, Dominion statistician, said here recently.
 On June 1 next, a veritable army of 15,000 men and women will be engaged in enumerating the population of the country, gathering eugenic and racial information and social and economic records.

There will be the seventh census since confederation and will be unique in that unemployment figures will be gathered and information regarding hospitals, asylums, and child-welfare institutions.

PLAN TO DISTRIBUTE SEED GRAIN APPROVED AT MINISTERS' MEET

Winnipeg, March 2.—Final arrangements of a plan for distribution of seed grain to needy prairie farmers and government-financing of the project were agreed upon here Saturday at a meeting between Hon. Robert Weir, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, and ministers representing Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Seed grain will be supplied "only to those who cannot obtain the same through their own resources," a statement released following the conference said.

Municipalities were given the task of distributing the seed, which will be provided by the Dominion seed branch in the various provinces. Farmers who qualify for this form of relief will be charged the market price of No. 1 Northern wheat in the locality where supplied, plus five cents extra for handling and 10 cents for dockage. Municipalities will be responsible for 25 per cent of the eventual loss, the remainder to be absorbed by the provincial and Dominion governments.

Under the plan formulated Saturday, the Dominion undertakes to supply the necessary money for the seed grain for a period of eight months in treasury bills. Collections will be made by municipal councils.

"All applications for seed grain," said the statement, "will be made to the local municipal council in organized territories. These applications are to be inspected and approved by the council. In the case of unorganized territory, applications will be made to the proper department of the provincial government. The municipality shall forward approved applications to the provincial government and on this basis make application to the provincial government for the necessary money to supply the seed applied for."

BEVINGTON TO SPEAK AT MEETINGS

Geo. Bevington, who is speaking under the auspices of the U.F.A., will address meetings as follows:
 Bittern Lake, Monday, March 9th, 2:30 p.m.
 Millot, Tuesday, March 10th, at 2 p.m.
 Brooks Hall, Saturday, March 14th, at 8:30 p.m.
 Mr. Bevington who has made a study of the money question, will deal with present conditions and their cause. Everybody welcome. Come and hear why we have no money.

BIGSTONE S.D. REPORT

Grade VII.—Hilda Kreutz, 71.
 Grade VII.—Jessie Mackay, 64.9.
 Grade V.—Willie Fietz, 74.7; Ben Kreutz, 71.8; Annie Hehner, 68.
 Grade IV.—Jacob Schwenk, 84.1; Nell Mackay, unclassified.
 Grade III.—Marie Schwenk, 84; Nema Kreutz, 77.6; Arthur Kreutz, 66.5.
 Grade I.—In order of merit—Joan Mackay, Katherine Schwenk, Norman Kreutz, Norbert Wolt, Lillian Fietz, Edith Fulton.

F. B. FACEY, Teacher.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knowlton of Wetaskiwin, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Mina Frances, to Millard William, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Martin of Ponoka, the marriage to take place early in April.

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 10 Bars
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FEDERAL ORDER BARS RUSSIAN COAL, PULP, ALL LUMBER AND FUR

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—A ban on importation into Canada of Russian coal, wood pulp, pulp wood, lumber and timber of all kinds, asbestos and furs was announced here Friday afternoon by Hon. E. B. Ryckman, Minister of National Revenue. An order-in-council has been passed prohibiting the importation under the authority given the Government at the emergency session of Parliament to "prohibit the importation into Canada of any goods exported directly or indirectly from any country not a contracting party to the treaty of Versailles." Russia comes under this provision.

ALBERTA WILL BUILD PLANT FOR RESEARCH ON GAS IN CALGARY

Edmonton, March 4.—Statement that a semi-commercial plant would be built at Calgary this year for completion of experiments commenced at the University of Alberta in regard to Dr. E. H. Boomer's method of manufacturing benzene from waste gas in Turner Valley, was made by Premier J. E. Brownlee in the Legislature on Tuesday. Announcement was made during debate on estimates for research work in the Province.

Chas. Sellers of the Department of Public Works, was in Camrose on Tuesday to make an inspection of the fixtures and fittings in the new Dominion Government Post Office and Custom House. He intimated that he would forward a favorable report to the Post Office Department at once and that Postmaster Theo. Bailey could reasonably expect instructions to occupy the new building in the near future.—Canadian.

There was an exceptionally big crowd in town last Thursday for Geo. Root's sale of horses conducted by C. W. Carroll. The sale was a big success. Twenty-two head of horses were sold at an average price of \$107.65.—Leduc Representative.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish through the columns of The Times to sincerely thank our neighbors and friends for the sympathy and assistance extended to us during our recent sad bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. K. Godin and children.

CORRECTION
 An error occurred in the Financial Statement published last week, in that the headings "The Wetaskiwin Public School" and "The Sacred Heart Separate School" were transposed.

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